

BOXERS STIRRED

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NEW TROUBLE THREATENED

Prince Tuan Had 10,000 Troops When Last Heard From—General Tung Fu Sian With the Rebels.

NEGOTIATIONS MAY BE DELAYED

Pekin, April 9.—A Chinese rebellion seriously menaces the imperial court, as Prince Tuan, the Boxer leader, is urging the rebels to attack Sian Fu.

The rumors which have been current during the last few days of the outbreak of a rebellion, headed by Gen. Tung Fu Sian, former commander of the Northern army, in the provinces of Mongolia and Shensi have been absolutely authenticated.

Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching have received information on the subject, which, though indefinite, still proves that the court is seriously alarmed and threatened.

Gen. Fu Sian was, according to last accounts, about 150 miles from the court with 11,000 regular troops, all supposed to be devoted to himself. The court has about the same number of soldiers at Sian Fu, but it is probable that the troops of Tung Fu Sian are better drilled and better armed.

It is believed that the Mongolian rebellion was brought about through agents of Prince Tuan and Gen. Tung Fu Sian. Li Hung Chang thinks there are about 5,000 troops in Mongolia. Prince Tuan was last reported at Ning Hsu, with 10,000 men.

Unofficial Chinamen of intelligence regard the rising as most unfortunate at the present time to the interests of China, and as possibly meaning the use of foreign troops to protect the court itself.

NEW PRESIDENT.

MR. R. B. PHILLIPS BUYS PRESIDENT MCLELLAND'S STOCK IN KNITTING MILL.

Mr. R. B. Phillips has been elected president of the Alden Knitting Mills, having purchased the stock of President A. W. McClelland. Mr. McClelland will return to New Orleans to engage in business.

The change places the big concern under control of Paducah stockholders.

VICTIM OF PICKPOCKETS.

Col. Tack Lynn, the well known drummer, was robbed of \$2,300 a few days ago, according to dispatches. The Hopkinsville Kentuckian says: "Tack Lynn, the well known drummer, who visits this city semi-monthly in the interest of his house, met with the misfortune of losing a large sum of money while on his return from a trip in Southern Illinois a few nights ago. He took a sleeper and on awaking discovered that his wallet containing \$2,300 was gone. He had \$70 in gold in his trousers pocket which the thief failed to get. He had been to Illinois on a business trip and collected the money for his house. Mr. Lynn resides in Madisonville, but travels for an Evansville grocery house."

KILLED BY A TRAIN.

Mr. A. J. Smith, of the Rhodes-Burford Co., was called to St. Mary's, Marion county, last night, by a telegram stating that his father had been struck by a train and died from the injuries. No particulars were given.

RETURNS FROM SHILOH.

Major J. H. Ashcraft, who has been to Shiloh National Park, will return tomorrow.

REPUBLICAN PROGRESS IN THE FIRST DISTRICT IS SATISFACTORY TO THE PARTY.

When Republicans review the standing of the party today and its personal ity they have every reason to feel proud of the progress that the party has made, notwithstanding the opposition of a defiant and desperate opponent.

Looking backward six years we find a party that was rarely considered as worthy of note in the First district, now the Democrats put themselves on the back several times a day when an election is at hand and say "we are not scared" but they lay awake many more nights than they did formerly, wondering what the Republicans are going to do. While there is a safe majority yet, the numbers are growing smaller each year and there is more ripe fruit for the Republicans to gather in the First district than in any district in the state.

The Republican party has gained many recruits from the ranks of the Democratic party they will miss; they are the best men of the party; they are the men who do not cry their intentions on the street corners but who go and vote and in many cases influence others to vote.

There were many of the office seeking gang who took the wrong path, evidently misguessing which would be the controlling wing of the party, that have been whipped back into the ranks; they can be spared from the ranks of any party that desires a lasting and permanent growth. These boot-lickers and time-servers were whipped back by the Goebel faction, and while we doubted their methods of completely ignoring them and trusting their return to the rear ranks, it has been demonstrated that was the proper treatment for them.

Some good men who have been lifelong Democrats hesitate to sever their associations and while realizing that the Goebel gang in control of the party in Kentucky are only Democrats for office they hope something unforeseen may happen to improve things so have gone back to the party.

But the recruits that have been gained by the Republicans who realize that the principles that were formerly proclaimed by the Democratic party are matters of history and who believe from their experience since 1873 that the Republican party is the party that brings prosperity and good times and has proved that it is the party that can be trusted with the management, are men who have come to stay; they are the cream of the former Democracy and are an acquisition of which the Republicans are justly proud. The Republicans of the First district will elect three members of the next legislature and one senator from this district, if all indications don't fail; but they must put their shoulders to the wheel.

The Democrats think they own the entire First district and every man in it, but the old-time majorities are dwindling and it is necessary for the party organs to put themselves on the back and tell each other how all Democrats are again together and that everything is now serene. What is the necessity of repeating this assertion so many times if it is a fact? They know it is not a fact; they know that the Democratic party will never be what it has been and they also know that each succeeding year will see a smaller majority. Then the bootlicking and time-servers will endeavor to break into and control the Republican party as they are now controlling the Goebel Democracy.

THE CASE ENDED.

Mr. Dalton Salyers and Miss Ida Johnson, well known young people residing near Benton, were married by Judge Shemwell yesterday. The bride had sued for breach of promise, and a criminal prosecution was also pending in circuit court there, the cases having aroused much interest. At a trial of the seduction case at the last term the jury stood six to six and was discharged. The marriage ends the cases.

Perhaps the threatened revolution in China is only a little ruse of the Heathen Chinese to divert the wrath of the voracious powers.

Advertise in SUN for results.

RAILROAD NOTES.

MR. J. W. HIGGINS, OF THE TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

Expected Tomorrow—Trainmaster Flynn Returns to Memphis—Other News of the Illinois Central.

From Tuesday's Daily.

General Superintendent of Transportation J. W. Higgins, of the Illinois Central railroad, is expected in the city tomorrow from the Memphis division. Mr. Higgins has devised a new system of car tagging or checking which has been partially tested. It is perhaps more complicated than the old system, but is considered much better. He will probably examine the men in the checking department and instruct them thoroughly in his new system.

Mr. Douglas Nash, of the master mechanic's office, has returned to his duties after a brief illness.

Master Mechanic Barton did not arrive from Chicago yesterday as was expected, but will probably get here today.

The train due at 11:45 from Memphis this morning was over an hour late, coming into Memphis behind time.

Special Agent Wm. J. Laffey, of the Illinois Central, Louisville division, was in the city today.

Captain Samuel Johnston, of the transfer boat Osborn, is unable to resume work at present. He will probably return to his boat in a few days.

Chief Claim Agent L. L. Losey, of Chicago, who was here Saturday trying to settle claims arising from recent wrecks, was unable to settle any of the larger ones.

Trainmaster J. J. Flynn came in last evening and returned to Memphis this morning.

C. B. Caldwell, engine watchman at Uniontown, Ky., was brought to the railroad hospital here last night with a badly sprained knee, resulting from a fall.

A. B. Shriver, a yard conductor at Memphis, was brought in last night with a painfully wounded hip, resulting from an accident in the Memphis yards.

Jas. R. Smith, a colored switchman of Memphis, was brought in with a badly sprained ankle. All are at the Illinois Central hospital.

Mr. R. D. Fulton, night car checker of the I. C. railroad, has tendered his resignation effective the first. He will be succeeded by Mr. Harry Owen, who is now day car checker. The successor of Mr. Owen has not yet been named.

Why don't the Democratic candidates for mayor come before the people with their respective platforms? They are not running on politics or individual popularity alone, but are trying to bring most everything from past official records to the next national campaign into the canvass. Why don't they let the people see what they believe in and would endeavor to carry out if elected, and then stand on the merits of their respective claims to party favor?

Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, \$2 per 13, \$4 per 50. Fine, vigorous stock from leading strains.

G. W. WINGO, Farmington, Ky.

J. Pierpont Morgan, having syndicated nearly everything in creation except the Democratic party, has gone to Europe for a vacation. Meanwhile, merely for pastime he is formulating a plan to bring all the dry goods and department houses of America into one gigantic syndicate.

Business was very good down on the wharf today.

New Easter Arrivals.

Fine Tailor Suits in all the newest shades and styles. Beautiful Albatross Waists in all the new Spring shades. Beautiful creations in fine Silk Waists. Made in every conceivable shade and style. \$10 for a fine Tailor made suit, very handsomely made. Velvet braid and button trimmed. This suit is well worth \$15. \$12.98 for a very fine Tailor made suit, beautifully made and trimmed. Jacket lined in best quality Taffeta Silk. Our competitors are showing this suit for \$19.50.

The largest assortment of fine Taffeta Silk skirts in the city. 10 different styles of fine Taffeta Silk skirts, beautifully corded or tucked. All over effects. New flounce effect. These skirts cut to \$10 for our Grand Easter Sale.

Just Received—1,200 fine Cloth skirts in all the new materials. New Tans, Castors, Greys, Modes. Beautifully trimmed in all the newest effects. New flare-flounce effect. By far the swellest line of skirts in the city. Every garment fitted free of charge at \$3.98, 4.98, 5.98, 7.50 and up to \$12.00.

A Brand New Feature For the Bazaar.

Millinery! Millinery!! Millinery!!!

In order to keep in tab with our fast growing trade we have concluded to establish the most exclusive Millinery business in the city. Our line of Fine Pattern hats are now on sale. Positively no hat trimmed outside of New York. Over 50 styles to select from and positively no two hats alike. It will pay you to look at our Fine Pattern hats before you make a selection of your Easter hat.

150 Fine Pattern Hats well worth \$1.00. Grand Easter Sale price \$1.98.
200 Fine Pattern Hats well worth \$2.00. Grand Easter Sale price \$2.50.
250 Fine Pattern Hats well worth \$2.50. Grand Easter Sale price \$2.98.
300 Very Fine Pattern Hats well worth \$3.00. Grand Easter Sale price \$3.98.
New Princess Kid Gloves in all the new Spring shades. Regular \$1.50 quality for our Grand Easter Sale \$1.00.
New Belts. New Collars. New Gilt Buttons and Braids. New Hair Barrettes. 150 Fine Hair Braids. \$2.00 quality reduced for this sale to \$1.00.

THE BAZAAR,

215 Broadway, Paducah, Ky.

AT BROOKPORT.

OUR NEIGHBOR IS RAPIDLY GROWING UP—SOME LATE IMPROVEMENTS.

Brookport, Ill., April 10.—Mr. Geo. Johnson opened the ground today preparatory to erecting a store building to be occupied by Mr. Golitely, one-half mile west on the same street, Fifth, back from the river. Mr. Moreum is completing his dwelling. Between these Mr. Simpson is just completing a three-room dwelling and Mr. W. O. Brown and others have houses under various stages of construction. About the center of this street stands the four-room two story school house where 35 students were enrolled for a normal term of ten weeks and more have applied. In the minor grades there is a full attendance, and about one-fourth mile north J. L. Jobe, colored, has an enrollment of 85 taking regular state grade courses of study.

Ten years ago this territory was unbroken forest, never probably had the ax pierced a tree, but the select few that were a No. 1 at the river ports below, save that an allwise village council had ordered a street cleared from a junction of the Unionville road west of Dr. Young's house to the railroad depot then reached by a path from the postoffice, running a zig-zag course through the woods. Here on this street Geo. Green ate his noon lunch under a tree. Less than a block from the depot never yet knowing where he would see daylight when his opening should come out at the railroad. Here last week the same ground sold for \$200 per lot.

Today there are due drummers from all the immediate trade centers representing all lines of merchandise bought and sold in an up-to-date city. Ten years ago one drummer "made" the town at such unusual periods as would most likely make connection with a horse race, and the orders were mostly "puts" and "calls."

On front street overlooking the river is the neat and trim office of the Ayer & Lord Tie company, where their business is carried on in systematic manner with a regular force of representatives. The men receive their pay and go on their way with provisions and furnishings to a little cottage home nearby they have built from their savings. Ten years ago J. S. King arrived with a work train, money and two kegs of beer from Metropolis. Conductor Jim Devson unloaded at the depot and they all "shot craps" till the early hours of morning. Truly Brookport is a great place.

COLLEGE GIRLS EXPELLED

KENTUCKY STUDENTS AT POTTER ARE EXPELLED BECAUSE OF SCANDAL.

Owensboro, Ky., April 10.—The Potter college sensation at Bowling Green resulting from the attempt of five young men to induce some young women students from the college to take a stroll with them at night has not only resulted in wholesale indictments of the young men, but in the expulsion of all the girls implicated. P. J. Potter, Jr., Willis Potter, Harry Nahn and Clarence Nahn soon after the issuance of bench warrants upon the indictments against them executed bond for their appearance before the trial. Roland Fitch, the fifth man, who was indicted, is in Cloverport and has not yet been arrested.

Mrs. Hynes, the mother of Miss Ruth Hynes, and Mrs. Short, the aunt of Miss Cottrell, both girls having been expelled, went to Bowling Green tonight and brought the young women back with them. The men implicated succeeded in making the relatives of the girls believe that no harm was meant and were invited by them to come to Cloverport. Fitch accepted the invitation and went away with the party. The three remaining girl students have gone to their homes.

Another farce began in Frankfort yesterday when Captain Garnett Ripley was placed on trial for his life for alleged complicity in the Goebel murder. It is presumed that if the commonwealth shows that Captain Ripley is a Republican, was in Kentucky at the time of the shooting and was opposed to Mr. Goebel for governor he will be convicted by the average Franklin county jury. So there is no reason why the case should arouse any great interest anywhere.

There is some tall wire pulling among a few of the Democratic candidates for city nominations. It is highly amusing to watch their heroic efforts when we know that no matter who gets there, he is destined to sure defeat at the hands of the Republicans in November.

Here's a chance for Mayor Lang and his city administration. The members of the Hopkinsville Gun club have formed a game and fish protection society, and the Paducah Gun club should not be behind Hopkinsville.

Here's a Ray of Hope.

Now that the sultan has bought an automobile and intends to run it himself, maybe Uncle Sam can collect that debt out of the life insurance.